LULL IN LIQUID AIR SCANDAL.

DIRECTORS WAITING TO HEAR FROM DORSEY AND JONES.

ders, Too, Anxious to Have These n Return to Town and Throw ome Light if They Can on the Tangled Affairs of the Tripler Concern

e of the members of the Tripler Liquid Air Company who profess to ed in straightening out its affairs their efforts in that direction yesterday, but they did not succeed in accomplishing much. Early in the afternoon it was declared by Sheldon & Gwynn, ounsel for the company, that a quorum of members of the directorate were in the city and would hold a meeting. Whether there was or was not a quorum in town it was not determined, but no meeting was held, and no meeting would be held, it was declared by some of those interested in the company, without the presence of Senator John P. Jones and Stephen W. Dorsey, the latter being the whole thing in the

After they found that no meeting of the directors would be held the counsel for the company gave out a statement to the effect dent Charles E. Tripler had orthat President Charles E. Tripler had ordered the Secretary to make an investigation of the books and of the charges made by one Israel Goldberg, a stockholder, and to report to the board. As soon as this is done, it was declared, a full statement of the condition of the company's affairs would be made to the stockholders.

"Unless the directors are paralyzed in the meantime," said Mr. Gwynn, "there will be a meeting of the directors next week ent given out just how ompany stands."
Mr. Gwynn gave as the reason for the

Mr. Gwynn gave as the reason for the failure to hold a meeting at the time that he had previously stated the absence of a quorum but he said there would certainly be one by next week. That is when Dorsey expected back. Just what will be the result of this meeting

no one could be found yesterday who was prepared to say. It has been declared by some that reorganization is badly needed. In that event it would seem to be necessary that a careful compilation of the company's assets should be made. Those interested in the company were

Those interested in the company were rather touchy on the subject of assets yesterday, possibly because a description had been published of the only place that the company has which could be called a plant. It had been asserted that the "plant" would cut a pretty large figure in a list of assets, but the only plant thus far discovered is in quarters in the rear of a blacksmith shop on West Eighty-ninth street, and consists for the most part of an engine on which the dust has apparently been allowed to rest for some time, a few coils of pipe and some cylinders. Those in the management of the company stopped talking about the plant pretty much yesterday for some reason. In place of the plant it was "patents."

Plant it was patents.

There has always been a difference of opinion as to the value of patents before their commercial worth has been demon-strated by the turning out of a product in quantities and at a cost stamping them in quantities and at a cost stamping them successful as money earners. The company did go so far as to order \$20,000 worth of machinery on which, it is said, about \$6.000 was paid. In consequence of failure to pay the balance the machinery still remains in the factory where it was made although when approached regarding this matter some of the members of the company, have asserted that they believed ing this matter some of the members of the company have asserted that they believed the machinery had been shipped here and was in storage ready to be installed as soon as a building was leased for the purpose. When the question was put to

When the question was put to some of those interested in the company why more of the \$170,000 realized from the sale of treasury stock did not go to the equipment of the plant necessary to give the company's patents a cash value, nearly all were unprepared to answer it, although they said that this would be answered as isfactorily in the company's statement make after the books had been examined. According to Mr. Gardenhire, counsel for Mr. Dorsey and Mr. Jones, the books do not need to be resorted to to furnish a statement of the company's expenditures. of the company's expenditures statement of the company's expenditures. Mr. Gardenhire said yesterday that three months ago, when charges were made that three against his circuits by persons in the fact this request an examination of the books was made by the Audit Company and that its report is still in the company archives. Mr. Gardenhire furthermore said he had seen this statement, and he one item in the expenditures ecorded \$50,000 for an exhibit at the Paris Exposition. Mr Gardenhire was quite ready to confess that this had never realized a dollar for the company. The Audit Company's statement, he said, would also show that a lot of money had been legiti-mately expended in trying to discover vessel that would safely hold liquid air. Audit

When the company was organized and, t appears, even while its circulars descrip-tive of the gold mine that it had were beng disseminated, no way had been found to distribute liquid air in quantities large shough for the uses that these circulars described. The only way then known of keeping liquid air was by means of a bottle of the thinnest glass inside another bottle with a vacuum between to prevent inated, no way had been found bottle with a vacuum between to prevent the heat rays from getting at the air. Not for months afterward was a vessel discovered that would hold it and could be made at a cost that would not bankrupt the company. Thousands of dollars were spent in experiments before this was obtained and all the time the public was being advised of the fortune that was within its reach through the discovery of the way to put liquid air to commercial use.

Mr. Gwynn, when asked regarding the statement said to have been made by the Audit Company, said that he had never heard of it and that he was sure Mr. Tripler had never heard of it either. If it does exist, as Mr. Gardenhire says, it would be interesting to see whether it shows what amount of stock was excepted from the pool made of the shares that Fennell & Co. the bankers, took to market to the public and the shares which the directors agreed not to sell. Dorsey and Jones contend that a certain amount of shares were excepted from the pool, and that this stock they were to sell as they pleased.

pool, and that this stock they were free to sell as they pleased, regardless of the price at which the fiscal agents were

trying to sell stock to the public.

There was some stock sold which was bought by the public as treasury stock, but which it there out was not treasury stock, and if any statement made up from the company's books will show just how this came about there are no end of persons who will hall it with a great deal of satis-

Yesterday the announcement was made that some sort of a statement will be issued next week authorized by Tripler. Dorsey and Jones, according to their friends here, are hurrying back from the West to face the charges made against them and will, so their friends say further, produce the statement made by the Audit Company three months ago. They will also show, that it was received by the baard say, that it was received by the board and was satisfactory, that being shown by the fact that no charges were made from that time until recently, when Dorsey and Jones refused to put up any more money in response to Tripler's requests.

Dora Williams, proprietress of one of the dime attractions on the Midway of the Pan-American Exposition, came here from Buffalo vesterday and took cut of the Morgue the bedy of Richard Rivers, the old showman, who died in the restaurant of the Putnam House on Wednesday. She will have Rivers buried to-day in Greenwood Cemetery. He had been in the show busi-ness since he was a boy. Mrs. Williams said. em particularly took great interest in

The Res. Dr. Hunn Impresing After

Operation.

BUTCHERS MUST QUIT SUNDAY Employees to Enforce a Law the Police Pay No Attention To.

A crusade is to be begun to-morrow against butchers who keep open on Sun-days. In April last a law, which was supported by both the Master Butchers' Ass ciation and the Employees' Association, was enacted, imposing a penalty upon meat sellers who kept their stores open the law. The police have not enforced belong to the Butchers' Mutual Protective Association, the pages of the Protective organization, have made no pretence o beying it and from stress of competition, the venders who had favored the law also

continued to keep their stores open Sunday mornings, as the old law permitted them to do.

As the "boss" butchers seemed unable to cope with the situation, the Benchmen's Association of Retail Butchers (employees), have gone at it. They propose ployees), have gone at it. They propose to turn 2,700 men loose to-morrow who will watch every butcher shop in the metropolis, and will lodge a complaint with the police against every one found open to-morrow morning.

the police against everyone found open to-morrow morning.

George Pfaehler, Jr., President of the Benchmen's Association, said yesterday "the law was expressly designed to give the salesmen a day of rest after working, as they invariably do, from eighteen or twenty hours on the Saturday. The great majority of employees favored the bill and were prepared to obey it, but when they found that the butchers outside of their organization continued to open up they were forced to follow suit. We think we can settle it. We shall insist on the police can settle it. We shall insist on the police can settle it. We shall insist on the police making arrests. Should any city Magis-trate refuse to hold the prisoner the case will be taken higher up. It has been urged that the closing of the butchers' shops that the closing of the butchers' shops will be an inconvenience to the poor. That argument is a fallacy and has been proved so in Pennsylvania and other States where the Sunday closing law is rigorously enforced. The fact that a few people leave their buying until Sunday morning is no justification for breaking the rest of thousands of men who are kept on the jump on Saturday during almost every hour of the twenty-four of that day."

CENTRAL GETS BRIEF DELAY Health Board Allows Three Weeks in Which to Prepare New Tunnel Plans.

President Sexton called a special meeting of the Health Board vesterday to con sider the New York Central Railroad's tunnel, which on Thursday the Board of Health ordered reconstructed "forthwith," and the company sent two representatives one from the mechanical department and one from the law department, to present the railroad's side of the matter.

Only three members of the Health Board were present: President Sexton, Commissioner Cosby, whose idea it is to have the brick walls in the tunnel supplanted by steel girders, and Dr. Aivah H. Doty. Of the two other members of the board, Com-missioner Jenkins is in Europe and Com-missioner Murphy has other troubles. Charles C. Paulding and Chief Engineer Wilgus represented the Central. A num-ber of Tammany politicians stayed around building while the meeting was being d, just why nobody could learn. State actor Plunkitt stayed in the board room during the meeting, and what connection he had with the subject of the meeting did not appear either.

not appear either.

The meeting was behind closed doors and was brief. At its close Mr. Paulding said that the company had nothing to say at present. President Sexton announced through his secretary that the compan-had asked for three weeks' time in whice to prepare and submit plans and specifica-tions for proposed alterations, and that the board had granted the request. An effort was made to learn whether the effort was made to learn whether the changes proposed by the company would conform with the suggestion made by Commissioner Cosby two weeks ago and since ordered by President Sexton, but both President Sexton and Dr Cosby re-

itter will come up before the The matter will come up before the Health Board again at its regular meeting

H. VICTOR NEWCOMB HIS OWN MAN

The committee of the person of H. Victor Newcomb was discharged yesterday by Justice Giegerich in the Supreme Court on the recommendation of the referee and with the consent of all the parties to the litigation in which Mr. Newcomb has been concerned. Mr. Newcomb, who was once President of the Louisville and Nash ville Railroad, was first committed to the Central Valley Sanitarium in 1891. Before Central Valley Sanitarium in 1891. Before going into the sanitarium he made over all his property to his wife and son. He was discharged and in 1899 he was again sent to the same sanitarium. He made vigorous efforts through his counsel to get out, but in 1900 Justice Fitzgerald denied a motion to release him. Since then he has so much improved that his family are ready to consent to his release. Mr. Newready to consent to his release. Mr. New-comb was once afflicted by acute melan-cholia. His mental infirmities are said

NOT REASONS FOR MERCY That Paul Hudson, Thief, Was Well Edt

cated and Engaged to Marry. Paul B. Hudson, 30 years old, a real es-

tate dealer of 142 West 104th street, and a son of Justice of the Peace Hudson of Sherwood, Cayuga county, was sent to the penitentiary for six months by Recorder Goff yesterday, having been convicted of stealing a trunk containing 1300 worth of clothing and jewelry from Samuel But-terworth, engineer of the Park Avenue Hotel.

Hotel.

About four years ago young Hudson opened a drug store in Mount Vernon which was quite promptly destroyed by fire. He collected \$5,000 insurance. In Trenton subsequently he was fined \$500 for misuse of the mails.

His lawyer asked for mercy because Hudson was engaged to marry next month and because he was a young man of good education and bringing up. The Recorder said he thought that Hudson deserved the less mercy on account of all these things.

MUST BOND "FLORODORA" To Secure Dunne's Alleged Share of the

Profits -Or Else a Receiver. In the suit of John W. Dunne to establish a partnership with Thomas W. Ryley and John C. Fisher in "Florodora" Justice O'Gorman has signed an order allowing the defendants to go on producing the play under a bond of \$50,000 to secure the plaintiff. If the bond is not filed within ten days a receiver will be appointed to carry on the play. Vidaver & Johnson appeared for the plaintiff and Howe & Hummell for

Stephen Little, the auditor of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad, and an expert railroad accountant has just returned to New

York from an extended trip in the West. Speaking of the corn crop prospects he said yesterday:

'I paid especial attention to the corn crop situation. Reports recently printed were largely exaggerated. From all that I could see and learn there will be plenty of corn when harvest time comes.

Gen. Miles Starts on His Trip

BUFFALO, Aug No.-Gen Miles has finished his visit to the Pan-American Fair The Rev. Dr. A. C. Bunn, superintendent of the Church Charity Foundation, was operated upon for herrin at 8t John's Heapstal in Brooklys vestereday. Dr. Droistour, who performed the operation, said that the patient would recover quickly.

SOCIAL EVENTS AT NEWPORT.

TWO FUNCTIONS OF MORE THAN USUAL IMPORTANCE.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbill, Jr., Gives & Luncheon at Southwick Grove and Mrs. E. J. Berwind Gives a Brittant Dinner Dance Elaborate Decora

NEWFORT, R. I., Aug. 30.-Considering the many other attractions on land and sea. society had a busy day of it at Newport. and two of the smartest social functions of the season were given. One was the luncheon given by Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., at Southwick Grove, and the other the dinner dance given by Mrs. Edward J Berwind at her new and palatial villa Bellevue avenue. In the morning Casino was the attraction, and some few of the cottagers attended the poetic reading given by Mr. Sidney Woollett at the Casin Theatre. There was also a large attend ance at the golf club, while several luncheons were given on the various yachts in

Southwick Grove, the scene of Mrs. Vanderbilt's luncheon, is a small grove about three miles out on the island, where usuall a gypsy camp is to be found. There is small dancing pavilion there, and it was in this that the luncheon was served. Mrs. Vanderbilt meant to surprise her guests and she accomplished her object, for in stead of dining under a rough wooder structure, the guests, numbering 100, were surprised to see a most artistically arranged place. Everything had been decorated in keeping with the surroundings, and palms and golden rod were used principally for decorations. Hundreds of palms were placed about the woods giving it a tropical effect, while hydrangeas were placed entirely around the spot.

There were ten tables for the guests

and these were also decorated with golden rod. The centre table was built around a large palm, making a most pleasing pict-A band was on hand to furnish the music, and after the luncheon Mrs. Vanderbilt took all her guests to the automobile races, the track being close by This evening cottage dinners were given by Mrs. John Clinton Gray, Mrs. H. Mor-

by Mrs. John Clinton Gray, Mrs. H. Mortimer Brooks, Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. George B. DeForest, Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish and Mrs. George Crocker.

The big event of the day was the dinner dance given to-night by Mrs. Edward J. Berwind at The Elms. The Berwind villa is looked upon by many as the grandest in Newport, even surpassing the Vanderbilt Breakers. It has been finished lately bit Breakers. It has been finished lately and is said to be the most luxuriously fur-nished house in the United States. It is situated on Bellevue avenue, and has spa-cious grounds in the rear, all of which were brought into play for to-night's entertainment. There was some attempt at the spectacular in the decoration of the place. Not only were flowers and plants used in the decoration, but electricity was added to the combination, in all making a most

striking effect.

The driveway was illuminated with hundreds of tiny electric lights, and as the guests arrived at the villa they were received by Mrs. Berwind in the grand hallway, which was transformed into a rose garden, with trees and vines which trained all the way up to the second floor, where the dressing rooms were. In the early part of the evening a dinner

was held for about thirty guests, and the cottagers came in for the dance later. The ballroom is situated directly oppo-The ballroom is situated directly opposite the main entrance. Little was done here in the way of decorations, as the natural beauty of the room made it unnecessary for any embellishment. At the foot of the mirrors, at two sides of the room, beds of American Beauty roses were placed, and vines were arranged so as to trail along the market of the state of

vines were arranged so as to trail along the massive gold frames.

The terraces were the principal points for decorations, and the scene there was dazzling. Here were streamers of electric lights, flower beds and rose trees in full bloom and fine specimens of palms. The lawns were not neglected, for the various trees were beautified with lights running through their branches, which aided by the full moon gave it the effect of autumnal tollers.

Even the water hijy ponds were brightened Even the water hijy ponds were brightened with lights. The Italian colonnade was hung with colored fairy cups. On the centre of the lawn was a skeleton tent in which was an enormous palm, this spot being used as a smoking place. The general effect of the decoration out of doors was exceedingly brilliant and it sur-passed anything of the kind ever before seen in Newport.

The cotillon was danced at midnight.

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The cotilion was danced at midnight, led by Elisha Dyer, with Mrs. Berwind, and the favors were most costly, many having been secured by Mrs. Berwind abroad. Following the cotilion supper was served on forty small tables set in the dining room and on the northern terrace, which had been enclosed for the occasion. Each table was decorated with white and red roses, the general color scheme being white and red.

The southern terrace was made to represent an orange grove, with the trees in full fruit, and it was here that the promenading was done. From the time that the

full fruit, and it was here that the prome-nading was done. From the time that the dance began to the close there was con-tinual music, furnished by a brass band and two orchestras, stationed at different parts of the villa. The guests numbered 300 and included all the well-known cottagers. It can easily be said that the affair to-night and the Jones dance given ten days ago are the two greatest events of the Newport season of 1901.

NEW STEEL COMPANY. Independent Concern to Be Put Up in

Newcastle, Pa.

SHARON, Pa., Aug. 30.—Pittsburg capital is largely interested in a new independent steel company which was recently ganized to erect a plant at Newcastle. It will be known as the Newcastle Iron and Steel Company. It will manufacture light section rails and agricultural shapes and bars and will have a capital stock of \$1.500. bars and will have a capital stock of \$1,500,000. A site has been selected within the city limits of Newcastle and contracts have already been let to the United Engineering and Manufacturing Company of Pittsburg for the erection of a 12-inch and an 18-inch mill. Other mills will be erected later. The stockholders of the new concern include Cornelius Jay Kane, W. O. Maloney, A. F. Baumgardten, Max Rosenblum, Pittsburg, J. R. Moorehead, Newcastle, H. F. Silberman and L. J. Bergman, Cleveland.

THREW RED PEPPER IN HIS FACE Then Bad Man Hunted for Gore With a knife knocked Out.

BELLEVILLE, N. J., Aug. 30 - William Osborne went into a barber shop in Main street with a handful of Cayenne pepper last night and threw it in the face of the proprietor, almost blinding him. Friends of the barber came to the rescue and landed Osborne on the sidewalk on all fours. He returned a few minutes later with a butcher knife and more pepps ", but was again thrown

From the barter shop, with the knife in hand, Osborne ran to Sandford's butcher shop and tried to carve Henry Kartz. Kartz knocked him out Osborne's in-

Mechanged Motorman Brinstaird.

William H. Smith was reinstated as notorman on the De Kalb avenue line of the Coney Island and Brooklyn Bailroad Company yesterday. He was discharged a few days ago by President Heins for alleged carelessures in having participated

London Quotations SATURDAY AND MONDAY. Chas. Minzesheimer & Co.

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ELOPEMENT MADE MOTHER ILL. Capt. Reardon's Stepdaughter Wedded

While Parents Were Away -- Forgiven. The secret marriage on Sunday of Irene Corcoran, the nineteen-year-old stepdaughter of Police Captain John Reardon of Brooklyn, to George Lane became generally known yesterday through the illness of the bride's mother. Miss Corcorat is a daughter of late Detective Sergean John Corcoran of Brooklyn. Capt. Reardon lives at 265 Bedford avenue.

Miss Corcoran was head stenographer and typewriter in the stock brokerage office of W. R. Vermilye & Co., and Lane is an outside man or the same firm. Mrs Reardon opposed their courtship because she believed her daughter was too young she believed her daughter was too young. Last Sunday night, while Capt. Reardon and his wife were at Saratoga, Irene and Lane were married by a clergyman in Manhattan. The bride returned to her home and Lane to his hotel. When the Reardons returned on Tuesday the bride did not tell them of her marriage. Lane called at the house on Wednesday night. He had his brother Arthur with him. The door was opened by Mrs. Reardon, and when George Lane asked if he could see Irene Mrs. Reardon asked why he wanted to see her. Just then the bride came from the back parior and throwing her arms around her mother's neck began to sob.

What is the matter?" asked Mrs. Reardon, "Mamma," said the girl, "George and ;

Reardon fainted, and her daughter and Lane carried her to a couch in the front parlor. When she revived she sent for her husband. A stormy scene followed, which ended in Lane's leaving the house with his ended in Lane's leaving the house bride. After they were gone Capt. Reardon and his wife decided to forgive the couple. Word was sent to Lane's hotel in Manhattan, and on Thursday night the bride and her husband were forgiven. Later they went on their honeymoon. Mrs. and her husband were long on. Mrs. they went on their honeymoon. Mrs. they went on their honeymoon is the Reardon became ill, but yesterday she was Reardon became ill, but yesterday she was the honeymoon. much improved. Capt. Reardon is the father of Nella Bergen, the prima donna, who is married to DeWolf Hopper, the who is married to DeWolf He comedian. Lane is 28 years old

WANTS TELEPHONE STOCK. . W. Morse's Offer for Control of the Tele-

graph, Telephone and Cable Co. Stockholders of the Telephone, Tele graph and Cable Company of America have received from President James M Thomas of that company a circular recommending that they accept an offer from Charles W. Morse to buy their stock at 50 cents on the dollar. Mr. Morse is interested in many banks in the city and he was the official head of the American "Ice Trust"

official head of the American until he retired.

The Telephone, Telegraph and Cable Company of America is a New Jersey cor-poration chartered in November, 1899. Its authorized capitalization is \$20,000,000, but it is undertsood that full capital sub-dividual bases not been paid. William but it is undertsood that full capital sub-scriptions have not been paid. William J. Latta of the Pennsylvania Railroad was the first President. He resigned early this year and was succeeded by Gen. James M. Thomas of Cleveland, who was President of the independent telegraph system of Cleveland. The new company is said to have arranged for the construc-tion of trunk lines of telegraph and tele-phone between New York and Boston. According to semi-official statements the expenditures and the obligations incurred amount to about \$0,000,000.

mount to about \$0,000,000.

Mr. More says that he believes in the practicability of the new project and is willing to undertake the financial 1. sponsibility of its management, if he can get the control at a price which he considers reasonable. Mr. Morse says: "When a stockholder has paid in \$5 I will pay \$2.50 for that stock. When there has been \$15 or \$20 paid in I will pay \$7.50 or \$10 for the stock." The book records show that the stockholders of the new company have paid in about \$4,000,000. The City Trust Company, of which John D. Crimmins is the head, is to act as trustee in this transhead, is to act as trustee in this trans-

TO BUILD A SMELTER HERE. J. R. De Lamar Buys Site on Staten Island Sound for \$1,000,000 Plant.

A tract of land comprising 1,000 feet of waterfront on Staten Island Sound at Carteret, N. J., has been bought by J. R. De Lamar, the Western mining magnate, as a site for a smelting plant that will cost about \$1,000,000 and give employment to 750 men. The land, valued at \$200,000, was secured from the Sound Shore Front Improvement

from the Sound Shore Front Improvement Company through Samuel Goldsticker, a real estate broker of 111 Broadway.

Mr. De Lamar, being on a yachting tour, could not be reached yesterday for particulars of his project, and the other principals in the realty transaction professed ignorance on the subject. The property is surrounded by the plants of the American Smelting and Refining Company, in the formation of which Mr. De Lamar was interested. He was the owner some years ago of the De Lamar mine at De Lamar, Idaho, which he sold to an English syndicate for \$200,000, and at one time represented that \$200,000, and at one time represented that \$200,000, and at one time represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the represented that \$100,000, and at one time represented the r

Nellie Sands.

Mr. De Lamar ran away to sea while a boy and had an adventurous life as a diver and an African trader and explorer before he became identified with mining and smelting interests.

WED AT THE UNDERTAKERS. Couple Found Justice of the Peace There

After 1:30 o'Clock in the Morning. Charles A. McGill, 27 years old, of 377 Seventh street, Jersey City, and Mary Sophia Catherine Leewey, 19 years old, of 94 Greenwich street, Manhattan, were married at 1 o'clock yesterday morning in the office of M. J. Boylan's undertaking

The couple had asked a policeman to direct them to a Justice of the Peace and the policeman said he had just seen Justice Sweeney in Boylan's shop. They found the Justice and he married them. The couple had been engaged and decided to married on the way home from making



Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis Railway Company of Illinois "Litchfield & Madison Railway Company. To Holders of the Income Mortgage Bond

SECURITTHOLDERS' COMMITTER.

rago, Peoria and St. Louis Railway Company ommon Stock of the Litchfield and Madison Rallway Company. It appearing to the interest of holders of the abou

named securities that such Income Mortgage Bonds be converted into new First Preferred Stock, and that sale thereof be made only in bulk and as a unit, and managed and sold as a majority and in bulk, an objects has been entered into by holders of the above of the Income Mortgage Bonds of each of said Com panies, and of all the Common stock and nearly a majority of the Preferred stock of the Chicago, Peoria & St. Louis Railway Company; under which Agree ment, dated July 17th, 1901, and lodged with the De ositary, the undersigned have been constituted Securityholders' Committee. Holders of the above specified Bonds and Stocks

nereby are offered the opportunity of depositing such ecurities under said Agreement and securing the he First National Bank of the City of New York as Negotiable Trust Certificates will be issued for

he deposited securities. Copies of the Agreement may be had from the Dated New York, July 19, 1901

THOMAS CARMICHAEL. CHARLES F. DEAN. E. W. CLARK, JR., Securityholders' Committee. SULLIVAN & CROMWELL, Counsel, T. C. WELLMAN, Secretary,

W. R. HOUGHTALING & CO., Members New York Stock Exchange. Will move to their new offices in the Exchange Court Building

52 Broadway, New York, On September 3d, 1901.

W. R. Houghtaling. William B Nivin. of deposit of stock of the American Bridge Co., two shares "A" 92 and fifty-one shares "A" 506 of com-mon capital stock, also four shares "A" 138, and one hundred and two shares "A" 629 preferred stock, registered in the name of S. F. Ray mond. The finder will please notify F. L. WILCOX, Treasurer the Berlin fron Bridge Co., East Berlin, Conn.

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By order of the Board of Managers.

CHARLES A. WALKER, Treasurer.

COMPANY. 28 Broad Street, New York. Texas and New Orleans R. R. Co. (Sobin Division), first mortgage six per cent. Bonds. N. T. SMITH, Treasurer.

Office of THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC

DETROIT SOUTHERN RAILROAD

Coupon No. 1, due Sept. f. 1901, from Detroit Southern R. R. Co., "Obio Southern Division," First Morigage 4 per cent. Gold Honds, will be paid on and after that date by the Colonial Trust Company, 222 Broadway, New York.

AMERICAN HIDE AND LEATHER CO. Coupons No. 4, dur Sept. 1, 1901, from First Mort-gage Bonds of the AMERICAN HIDE AND LEATH-ER COMPANY will be paid on and after that date by COLONIAL TRUST COMPANY, 222 Broadway,

GEORGE A. HILL, Treasurer. MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY. CO.

49 Wall Street, New York.

Coupons due September 1, 1991, of the Missouri,
Kansas and Texas Rallway Co. of Texas First Mortgage Bonds will be paid upon presentation at this
office on and after September 3 next.

C. G. HEINGE, Vice Pres. and Treas.

Clertions and Meetings.

The Minneapolis & St. Louis Railroad Co.

Future of Wisconsin Central.

Reports of a coming change in the cor Reports of a coming change in the control of the Wisconsin Central Railroad assumed more definite form yesterday and the price of the Wisconsin Central shares advanced 2 points. This railroad was formerly a part of the Northern Pacific system and current Stock Exchange report yesterday was to the effect that the Morgan-Hill, and Harriman interests could have joint control of Wisconsin Central and its valuable terminals in the future.

There is trustworthy authority for the statement that immediately after the return Pacific Railroad board will be reorganized in a mainter that will give the prominent Eastern trunk lines full representation. President Cassatt of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and President Newman of the New York Central, it is expected, will be cleated to the reorganized board. FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

FRIDAY, Aug The stock market showed a fairly siderable increase in the volume of dealings to-day and the course of prices was generally upward, most stocks finishing at or about the highest figures. In view of the continued light offerings of stocks by actual owners, the greater part of the evening up in advance of the three days holiday had to be done by the professional traders who have been playing the short side recently. It has been a subject of remark that a certain speculative clique in Chicago has for some time past been completely unable to get in touch with the New York stock market. It was stated to-day that part of this contingent covered at the highest prices stocks that they had sold earlier in the week at not far from the lowest figures. The partial closing out of the commitments

referred to was induced by the firmness of the market in the face of indications of a substantial decrease in the resources of the New York banks, by the failure of an expected sharp advance in money rates to materialize, and by the probability of settlement of the strike of the employees of the United States Steel Corporation, absolutely on the terms of the management. The strength of to-day's stock market was also influenced considerably by the prominence of London as a buyer of Erie and other issues through bankers as well as the arbitrage houses, and by the prospect that the continued heavy exports of our cereals, which were responsible for pronounced weakness in the foreign exchange market to-day, foreshadow early imports of gold. The exports of wheat for the week ex-

ceeded 6,700,000 bushels, which is not far from the record, and since July 1 show approximately an increase as compared with the corresponding period a year ago of 30,000,000 bushels. The receipts of spring wheat in the Northwest are increasing considerably, although there has been a slight falling off in the arrivals of winter wheat. Harvesting is practically over in the Northwest and the lighter shipments to the interior distributing points are partly attributed to the decline of between two and three cents a bushel in the price o wheat in the week. The lateness last year of the calls upon New York for money to move the crops was to an extent due to the greatly reduced yield in the springwheat country.

The usual weekly preliminary compila tion of the known movements of money, published to-day, indicates a loss in cash by the local banks, in the bank statement week up to the close of business on Thursday, of approximately \$6,300,000, in addi tion to which there was transferred to-day through the Sub-Treasury to Chicago \$500,000. The aggregate shipments of money up to Thursday night, including the direct express figures and the transfers through the Sub-Treasury, amounted to \$6,476,000, compared with receipts this week of \$2,983,653. The banks lost to the Sub Treasury on its own account \$2,773,000 Last year the banks did not lose on balance to the interior until the end of the first week in September. Between that time and the third week in October the surplus reserve fell from \$26,056,250 to \$2,947,700 On Oct. 17 the first gold imported came to Under the stimulus of an active and higher

market for American railway shares in London local prices showed advances extending to nearly a point in Erie common The stock mentioned was nearly thrice as active as any individual railway issue, and t closed practically at the highest figure, showing a net gain of 1% per cent. The buying was mainly attributed to London, and was said to be based upon expectation at that centre of early favorable developments regarding the property. Union Pacific common was nearly one-third less ctive than Erie, but showed a slightly railway shares that were dealt in to an extent that entitled them to special mention were Southern Pacific, Atchison common, Southern Railway, St. Paul and Erie firs preferred, and they closed at advances ranging up to 114 per cent. in the last named. On lighter dealings strength was displayed by Canadian Pacific, Louisville and Nashville, Missouri Pacific, Ontario and Western, Reading common, Illinois Central and Metropolitan Street Railway As before mentioned, professional traders were in the main responsible for the fluctuations that were recorded In the usually inactive list advances occurred in the Nickel Plate issues extend ing to 2% per cent. St. Lawrence and Adi rondack rose nearly 2 points, Wisconsin Central common 1% and St. Louis and San

Francisco second preferred 1 per cent lake Erie and Western preferred gained 15 and Denver and Rio Grande preferred y per cent. In the industrial list the United States Steel shares were moderately active and closed fractionally higher Amalgamated Copper gained a full figure and Smelting and Refining improved over a point. Peoples Gas on nominal dealings rose nearly 1 per cent. and this was true of Tennessee Coal and Iron. The Railway bond market was fairly active and the tendency of prices was generally toward a higher level. The most conspicuous im-provement was in Erie first general 4s. In the curb market business was more active and was fairly well distributed Consolidated Tobacco 4s were in good inquiry at advancing prices and strength was displayed by American Can issues. Dominion securities and Electric Lead Reduction. A sale of \$2,000 United States Steel Corporation &s took place at 112%. The stock market closed strong at the improvements noted.

As compared with the final prices of last Saturday, the majority of stocks are higher. The more important net advances are in Erie 1% per cent, and first preferred 1%, United States Steel 1%, Consolidated Gas, Louisville and Nashville and Union Pacific preferred 1% each, Canadian Pacific 14, Ontario and Western 1, Illinois Central and Southern Pacific & each, U. S. Steel preferred %, Atchison and Reading 1/2 per cent. each. The noteworthy declines are in Amalgamated Copper 2 per cent., American Sugar Refining 15. Brooklyn Rapid Transit 1%, American Smelting and Refining 1%. Kansas and Texas preferred 1%. Metropolitan Street Railway %. Tennessee Coal and Iron % and Peoples Gas 15 per cent.

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